

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		DATE: January 31, 2005
TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U.S. Application No. (if known): 10/522613
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.: PCT/JP2003/09772	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE: July 31, 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED: August 1, 2002
TITLE OF INVENTION: POWER UNIT FOR CONVEYANCE AND CONVEYANCE PROVIDED WITH THE POWER UNIT		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Takao OMAE et al.		
Applicant hereby submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.	
2. <input type="checkbox"/>	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.	
3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.	
4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The US has been elected (Article 31).	
5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)): a. _____ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. _____ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)	
6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto. b. _____ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).	
7. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) a. _____ are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. _____ have been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. _____ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.	
8. <input type="checkbox"/>	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).	
9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).	
10. <input type="checkbox"/>	An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	
ITEMS 11. TO 20. BELOW CONCERN OTHER DOCUMENT(S) OR INFORMATION INCLUDED:		
11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98 together with the international search report, PTO-1449.	
12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. ASSIGNEE NAME AND ADDRESS: JAPAN STORAGE BATTERY CO., LTD., Kyoto-shi, Japan Please publish the assignee data with the application.	
13. <input type="checkbox"/>	A preliminary amendment.	
14. <input type="checkbox"/>	An Application Data Sheet under 37 C.F.R. 1.76	
15. <input type="checkbox"/>	A substitute specification.	
16. <input type="checkbox"/>	A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.	
17. <input type="checkbox"/>	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 C.F.R. 1.821 - 1.825.	
18. <input type="checkbox"/>	A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).	
19. <input type="checkbox"/>	A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).	
20. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other items or information: 44 sheets of drawings.	

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21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:		CALCULATIONS	PTO USE ONLY	
Basic National Stage Fee		\$ 300.00		
National Stage Search Fee		\$ 500.00		
National Stage Examination Fee		\$ 200.00		
ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =		\$ 1,000.00		
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).				
CLAIMS		NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE
TOTAL		26 -20 =	6	X \$ 50.00
INDEPENDENT		1 - 3 =		X \$ 200.00
Multiple dependent claims(s) (if applicable)				+ \$360.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$1,660.00
National Stage Application Size Fee-for each additional 50 sheets that exceeds 100 sheets \$ 250.00.				\$ 250.00
Reduction by 1/2 for filing by small entity, if applicable. (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).				
SUBTOTAL =				\$1,910.00
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). +				
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =				\$1,910.00
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +				\$ 40.00
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =				\$1,950.00
		Amount to be: refunded charged		\$
<p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$1,950.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed. (\$300.00 for basic national stage fee; \$500.00 for national stage search fee; \$200.00 for national stage examination fee; \$300.00 for 6 additional claims; \$360.00 for multiple dependent claims; \$250.00 for additional sheets exceeds 100 sheets and \$40.00 for the assignment recordation cover sheet).</p> <p>b. Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-2866 in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees. (A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.)</p> <p>c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.</p>				
<p>NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed to request that the application be restored to pending status.</p>				
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